

WEEKLY CHAMPION.

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 1887.

LOCAL MATTERS.

There was a man in our town, Who thought him wondrous wise, He ne'er would let his name go down As one who'd advise.

But soon there came a fatal day, When pride did him not save, He had to "give himself away," And his "ad." was Sheriff's rate."

Real estate is steadily increasing in value.

Lon Hill has been on a visit to Flagstaff.

District court opens at St. Johns on Monday.

Gol. C. G. Bean passed through on the train this week.

Ralph Cameron has been in from his sheep ranch.

E. M. Sanford left on yesterday's train for St. Johns.

Bring your orders for job work to the CHAMPION office.

Fourteen new houses are in course of construction this week.

Track is now laid on the Mineral Belt railroad for 12 miles.

The county assessor is on hand looking up property owners.

Miss Jennie Beal, who has been very sick, is now convalescent.

Secretary Bayard passed through on the east bound train yesterday.

T. G. Norris left for St. Johns this morning to attend district court.

John O'Neill went down to Los Angeles this week on a business trip.

Chinamen are coming in. A sure indication that the town is prospering.

A party from the mill went out and spent the day at the cliff dwellers on Sunday last.

M. J. Riordan came up from Williams on Saturday last and remained over Sunday.

Judge E. M. Sanford came up from Prescott on Monday last to attend to some law cases.

John Lind went out to the Grand Canyon this week with some visitors from the east.

C. H. Schulz, one of Yavapai's leading wool growers, was in from his range this week.

The Mineral Belt railroad company are erecting a boarding house for their employes on Gold avenue.

The very latest novelties in ladies' fine dress goods, gingham and prints just received at J. R. Kilpatrick's.

The freight rates from Albuquerque to Flagstaff have been reduced 40 cents per hundred pounds, under the new law.

Olas, Collins, who has been buying cattle, purchased 500 head from W. Garland.

Finest line of ladies and misses spring dress and straw hats ever brought to Flagstaff can be found at Kilpatrick's.

"Can't eat a thing." Hood's Sarsaparilla is a wonderful medicine for creating an appetite, regulating digestion, and giving strength.

Samuel S. Shull, one of Yavapai's oldest citizens, and who has a large band of cattle in the Mogollons, has recorded his brand in the CHAMPION.

Brannen's stock of shoes arrived this week from the east. He has a large variety of spring and summer goods, ladies and gents, which he is selling at bargain.

In the case of Daggs against Clark et al, in the justices court the jury returned a verdict for the defendants. An appeal will be taken to the district court.

Hon. W. G. Stewart has been seriously ill since his return from his trip west, but under the skillful treatment of Dr. P. G. Cornish, he is now rapidly recovering.

Weatherford and Henry have bought out and taken charge of the Parlor saloon, where their friends will find a first class stock of liquors and cigars. Call and see them.

The attention of readers is invited to the new ad. of Smith and Wileman on this issue. They are prepared to do first class work and solicit the patronage of our citizens.

Thos. McMillan, of Yavapai county, J. F. Daggs, of Maricopa and Robert Scott, of Apache, have been appointed sheep inspectors under the new law.

In ladies and gents shoes and boots of the finest quality and make from both eastern and western manufacturers, you cannot help but be satisfied in prices if you call at Kilpatrick's.

E. S. Clark's family arrived on Wednesday's train from Albuquerque and have taken up their residence in the house on Gold avenue, owned by John Francis.

Take a look at the new invoice of Stetson hats just received at Kilpatrick's. They are of the best quality and were bought expressly for the trade. Cow boys, cattle men come in and take a look at them.

Frank F. Miller, of the cattle firm of Daze and Miller, who have a large herd of cattle at Spring Valley, made the CHAMPION office a call this week. Come again and often Mr. Miller for you are always welcome.

A twenty dollar and a ten dollar bill was lost on Monday last between the Grand Army hall and the northern end of Gold avenue. If any person, who found the same will bring it to this office they will be paid ten dollars reward.

Henry Mehrens, of the firm of Mehrens and Sherman, prominent cattlemen of the Mogollons, brought 40 fine beef cattle to town this week and disposed of them to the firm of Bahten and Curry, of Daggett, Cal., at the rate of \$31 per head.

Hon. W. S. Oury, one of the pioneers of Arizona, who commanded the respect of everyone in the territory, is dead, aged 72.

Saml. S. Shull, whose ranch is near Pine Springs, came in town this week and sold four steers to Mr. Curry, of the firm of Bahten and Curry, of Daggett, Cal., which weighed 6,294 lbs. The price obtained was 3 1/4 cents on the hoof.

E. M. Sanford, of Prescott, has been in town during the week. He came up to conduct the case of Hance, vs. Greenwood for the plaintiff, and won the suit for his client. Mr. Sanford is always a welcome visitor to Flagstaff, where he is admired for his social and friendly qualities as well as for his great legal ability.

P. J. Brannen's stock of clothing is being sold off very rapidly. About one third of the men of Flagstaff have called and been convinced of the fact that Brannen has as fine a stock of first class clothing as any house in the west and that his prices are way down.

Arrangements have been made to hold the annual Territorial Fair, of New Mexico, at Albuquerque, as usual in September next, and to make a five days' exhibition instead of four. The same officers, who made such a success of the fair last year, have been re-elected. John A. Lee, president and Jesse M. Wheelock secretary.

The case of the territory against James Loy charged with drawing a pistol on W. E. Lockwood, which has already been tried twice, the jury disagreeing both times, has been dismissed at the request of the prosecutors' attorney. A cross charge brought by Loy against Lockwood was also dismissed in the same manner.

Don't fail to try P. J. Brannen's Peerless brand of coffee. It is an exquisite combination of the finest Java with carefully selected brands of Central American coffees. It makes a most delicious drink. This brand is put up expressly for him in \$1 packages. Try one and you will be convinced.

R. M. Bachelor, who was formerly Agent at Ash Fork for the A. & P. R. R., and who has been promoted to traveling auditor for the same company, passed through here on Tuesday. This is a well deserved recognition for Mr. Bachelor, and in connection with his many friends the CHAMPION congratulates him upon his appointment.

A petition has been forwarded to the board of supervisors of Yavapai county signed by the taxpayers of Flagstaff and neighborhood asking them to enlarge the front room of the jail building so as to make it more convenient for holding the justices courts. The present small room is much too small for that purpose and it could be enlarged to double the size at a very small expense to the county.

On Monday last the marriage of Mr. C. A. Bush to Miss Anna B. Frye took place at the residence of the bride's mother at Mill town. The ceremony was performed by Rev. N. L. Guthrie. Among the invited guests present were Mrs. W. A. Ashurst, Miss Eva Ashurst, Mrs. N. L. Guthrie, Mr. T. A. Riordan and John G. Tinker. The bride was tastefully dressed and after the ceremony had been performed the guests sat down to an elegant repast prepared by Mrs. Frye. The CHAMPION in accord with their many other friends, wish Mr. and Mrs. Bush a long life of prosperity and contentment in their new relations to each other.

A trial for forcible entry and detainer took place this week before Geo. H. Tinker, justice of the peace, and a jury. The plaintiff in the suit, John Hance, claimed that the defendant, Samuel Greenwood, had taken and retained illegal possession of property owned by him on the rim of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, about seventy miles north of Flagstaff. E. M. Sanford appeared as attorney for Hance and H. J. Miller for Greenwood. After hearing the evidence and arguments of counsel the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff, which awards to his possession of the property in dispute.

The spirit of the gospel is essentially missionary and the success of modern missions is the marvel of history. Never before has the church been so active in spreading the gospel, with civilizing and saving power, over the world. This interest in missions is yearly increasing. That the gospel is the only great civilizing power in the world to-day, cannot be successfully denied, and therefore missions should be supported. It will not be questioned by thinking men, that the churches of this territory are no inconsiderable factor in Arizona's prosperity. These churches exist because they have been and still are largely supported by the missionary societies of the respective bodies. In these columns may be occasionally found during the next few months, items of missionary intelligence, showing the progress of missions and the claims of these societies on all who are interested in civilizing and christianizing the nations of the earth.

John Schmidt, who was arrested about six months ago for attempting to set fire to a blacksmith shop, owned by E. S. Wilcox, and was held to answer before the grand jury, had the bad taste to return to Flagstaff this week. The grand jury for some mysterious reason, failed to find an indictment against him and he was set at liberty. After his return here on Tuesday he was again arrested on the same charge and an examination was had on Thursday before Geo. H. Tinker, justice of the peace, but in consequence of the absence of important witnesses who gave evidence at the former examination, the charge could not be sustained and the justice ordered the accused to be released from custody.

INTER-STATE COMMERCE.

A Synopsis of the Regulations of the new law now in Operation.

The business men of Flagstaff and northern Arizona are interested in knowing the substance of the new railroad law which went into operation on Tuesday last. Therefore a synopsis of it is here given showing its main provisions, divested of the legal phraseology.

THE LAW FORBIDS:

All special rates, drawbacks, rebates or any other device whereby one person or business firm is given undue preference over another.

Higher rates being charged for a shorter than a longer haul over the same line under similar circumstances and conditions.

All pooling of passenger and freight earnings by two or more railway companies.

Charging either a greater or less rate per mile for any distance than the published rates either for passengers or freight.

Contracts and agreements made previous to the passage of the law, which are in violation of its provisions, from being carried out.

Any connivance or consent by railroad companies which permits any "scalper" to sell tickets at less than tariff rates and makes them liable the same as it sold by their own agents.

A greater amount of baggage being checked for one person than another, traveling on the same class of ticket.

The giving of reduced rates or free passes to any persons whatsoever, except to ministers of religion and officers or employes of railroad companies.

Round-trip tickets being sold because it would cut the established rates one way.

THE LAW PERMITS:

Different classes of passenger fares according to accommodation.

Additional charges for unusual or additional service.

Mileage, excursion or commutation tickets, providing they do not violate the general non-discriminating spirit of the act.

Free transportation to officers and employes of railroads and reduced rates to clergymen.

Just discrimination from the fact that it prohibits unjust discrimination.

Excursion rates, when the tickets are sold subject to certain conditions for a journey to a given point and return, for a special occasion.

THE LAW REQUIRES:

That all charges for transportation of passengers and freight shall be just and reasonable.

That all charges be made alike for contemporaneous services under similar circumstances and conditions.

That all railroads shall print in large type (of at least the size of ordinary type) and keep for inspection in every depot and station, schedules showing the rates and fares for transportation of passengers and property, plainly stating every place upon the line of railroad to which passengers and property will be carried.

That ten days notice of advance on rates shall be given and the same be publicly exposed at every railroad depot. Reductions may be made without previous public notice.

That all railroads file their tariff schedule with the board of commissioners and notify them of all changes.

OTHER CONDITIONS:

It is not unreasonable discrimination to stop fast or express trains at certain stations only, provided such fact is advertised.

All reasonable and proper facilities must be made for the interchange of traffic between connecting lines.

Copies of all contracts or arrangements with other connecting railroads for a joint through tariff, must be filed with the board of commissioners and be made public, should the board request it.

Flagstaff Investment Company.

An adjourned meeting of the Flagstaff investment company was held on Saturday evening last to perfect their organization. Mr. J. S. Butler was appointed chairman and Mr. E. S. Clark secretary.

The chairman submitted the by-laws of a similar organization, of which he had been an officer, in Kansas City which the committee appointed at the previous meeting to frame by-laws, had slightly modified to suit the conditions of this place and after some discussion, in which W. L. Van Horn, H. R. Wilson, and Rev. N. L. Guthrie took part, they were adopted.

A list of the number of shares that had been taken up to that time was announced, showing that 80 shares had been subscribed for.

The meeting then proceeded to ballot for seven directors to hold office for one year, three directors to transact the whole business of the company and to elect a president, secretary and treasurer from among their number. The ballot resulted in the election of the following gentlemen: Harry Fulton, T. G. Norris, A. A. Dutton, E. S. Clark, H. R. Wilson, J. S. Butler and Thomas McMillan. The meeting then adjourned.

Board of Supervisors.

The board of supervisors met on Monday last in regular session. Messrs. Wollenburg and Ellis appeared for the bondsmen of E. J. Cook and asked that a time be set at which said bondsmen could present their matters to the board. Wednesday at 10 A. M. was fixed.

The county printer was ordered to print 100 copies of an abstract of the license law.

Accounts for salaries were allowed. W. J. Mulvenon, sheriff, \$2,000; W. C. Bashford, treasurer, \$750; E. J. J. Horne, recorder, \$750; J. O. Herndon, attorney, \$750; E. B. Dodge,

clerk of district court, \$625; W. W. O'Neill, probate judge, \$500.

At Tuesday's session D. Robinson was allowed \$397 and Mary E. Waggoner \$220 for caring for indigent sick.

In accordance with the provisions of the new law to encourage the destruction of wild animals, the supervisors ordered that the following rewards be paid: Lions or panthers \$10; Bears \$5; Lynxes \$7; Loafers or timber wolves \$1; coyotes \$50; jack rabbits \$5.

Various bills were audited and treasurer Bashford made his first quarterly settlement, showing a balance of \$25,924.89 on hand.

The balance was counted, found correct and returned to the treasurer taking his receipt therefor.

At Wednesday's meeting the bondsmen of E. J. Cook made a proposition to turn over to the county all of Cook's property in payment of his delinquency if the board would relieve them from all liability.

TERRITORIAL.

The board of supervisors have been in session this week.

The supreme court will meet in Phoenix on April 28th.

A boy named Lee died in Yuma from a rattlesnake bite.

The Mohave term of court has been postponed until May 9th.

A prisoner named Louis Beach escaped from the Prescott jail.

The Walnut Grove company has started its saw mill in operation.

Hugh J. Brawley died at Prescott by taking an overdose of morphine.

Hon. De Forest Porter, the mayor of Phoenix, has been very sick but is now recovering.

The salvation army will return to Prescott where there is a good field for their labors.

A Mexican named Erigues Papa shot and killed another Mexican named Quires, near Tucson.

Ex-Senator Tabor, of Colorado, has bought the Vulture mine in Maricopa county for \$250,000.

Phoenix is to have a city hall costing \$15,000. The measure was carried by a large vote on Tuesday last.

Whoever it is that furnishes the associated press news from Benson—he is one of the champion liars of the territory.

A man who died recently at Casa Grande, of small pox, stated before his death that he had killed three men and one woman.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE.

A fine cottage consisting of five rooms and outhouses. The location is a good one on the south side of the railroad track. Apply to T. G. Norris.

FOR SALE.

Seed potatoes for sale in any quantity. Apply to the Arizona Cattle Company.

For Sale.

One house and lot on Railroad avenue and six desirable lots for building family residences. For terms apply to H. J. Miller, attorney at law, at his office, Flagstaff, Arizona. If

LOST.

One dark brown horse branded circle B on left shoulder, Spanish brand on left hip, saddle marks on withers and back, about 9 years old and weighs about 900 pounds. I will pay \$5.00 reward for his return to Moore's Livery Stable at Flagstaff.

W. E. MEACOCK.

FLAGSTAFF, April 9th, 1887.

Lost—\$10 Reward.

One gray horse 6 years old, brand JR connected, on left thigh. One brown horse, 10 years old, brand D on left thigh, circle S on right thigh. One sorrel horse, 10 years old, branded U S on left shoulder. The undersigned will pay the above reward for any information that will lead to the recovery of the above animals.

GUY FOOTE.

WINSTON, ARIZ., March 22, 1887.

All cattle bearing the above brand on left ribs are the property of the undersigned. Ear marks, split in the left, and over the right ear in the right. All calves of the year.

1885 branded with bar triangle—Range, Mogollon Mts. Postoffice address, Camp Verde, Arizona. SAMUEL S. SHULL.

New Saloon

We have opened on Gold Ave.

—The Choicest Stock of—

WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS.

"Old Kentucky Nectar" is one of the leading brands of whiskey.

Mixed Drinks a Specialty

Give us a Call. Drinks and Cigars 12 1/2 Cents.

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Proprietors.

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The Public of Flagstaff and vicinity are respectfully informed that we are prepared to do all kinds of

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All work done in first class style and Satisfaction Guaranteed.

SMITH & WILEMAN, Proprietors.

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Capital Prize, \$150,000.

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By an overwhelming popular vote its franchise was made a part of the present State Constitution adopted December 3d, A. D., 1879.

The only Lottery ever voted on and endorsed by the people of any State.

Its Grand Single Number Drawings will take place monthly, and the Semi-Annual Drawings regularly every six months (June and December).

A FLEETING OPPORTUNITY TO WIN A FORTUNE. Fourth Grand Drawing, Class D, in the Academy of Music, New Orleans, Tuesday, April 12, 1887—203d Monthly Drawing.

Capital Prize, \$150,000.

Notice.—Tickets are Ten Dollars only. Halves, \$5.

Fifths, \$2. Tenths, \$1.

LIST OF PRIZES.

1 Capital Prize of \$150,000	\$150,000
1 Grand Prize of 50,000	50,000
1 Grand Prize of 20,000	20,000
2 Large Prizes of 10,000	20,000
4 Large Prizes of 5,000	20,000
20 Prizes of 1,000	20,000
100 " " 500	50,000
500 " " 100	50,000
1000 " " 50	50,000

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

100 Approximation Prizes of \$300 30,000

100 " " 200 20,000

100 " " 100 10,000

2,170 Prizes, amounting to \$55,000

Application for rates to clubs should be made only to the office of the Company in New Orleans.

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STEAKS, SPRING CHICKEN.

Fresh Oysters

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The table is always supplied with all the delicacies the market affords.

Meals at all hours, as we keep open day and night.

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The bar will at all times be kept well stocked with the CHOICEST of

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—KEG AND BOTTLED BEER—

Always on hand. A share of the public patronage solicited.

ALL DRINKS 12 1/2 CENTS.

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"MINERAL BELT" SALOON.

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